

## 91562 to 91592—Continued.

- 91569 to 91582. CUCUMIS MELO L. Cucurbitaceae. **Melon.**  
 91569. *Alaf Khant.*  
 91570. *Gardai.*  
 91571. *Hiratt.*  
 91572. *Kabuli.*  
 91573. *Kalandri.*  
 91574. *Kandahari.*  
 91575. *Kharwari Dastambol.*  
 91576. *Mashade.*  
 91577. *Shinag.*  
 91578. *Sufaidak.*  
 91579. *Sur.*  
 91580. *Tarimat.*  
 91581. *Special variety, very sweet.*  
 91582. Assorted melon seeds.
91583. CUCUMIS SATIVUS L. Cucurbitaceae. **Cucumber.**  
 91584. CUCUMIS SATIVUS L. Cucurbitaceae. **Cucumber.**  
 Snake cucumber.
91585. CUCURBITA MAXIMA Duchesne. Cucurbitaceae. **Squash.**  
 A round pumpkin.
91586. DAUCUS CAROTA L. Apiaceae. **Carrot.**
91587. LAGENARIA LEUCANTHA (Duchesne) Rusby (*L. vulgaris* Seringe). Cucurbitaceae. **Calabash gourd.**  
 Long pumpkin.
91588. MEDICAGO SATIVA L. Fabaceae. **Alfalfa.**  
 Lucerne.
91589. PRUNUS ARMENIACA L. Amygdalaceae. **Apricot.**  
*Chighali.* Yellow-colored apricots.
91590. PRUNUS ARMENIACA L. Amygdalaceae. **Apricot.**  
 A small white variety.
91591. SOLANUM MELONGENA L. Solanaceae. **Eggplant.**  
*Banyan.*
91592. SPINACIA OLERACEA L. Chenopodiaceae. **Common spinach.**
91593. TELOSMA CORDATA (Burm. f.) Merr. (*Pergularia odoratissima* J. E. Smith). Asclepiadaceae.  
 From China. Seeds presented by Prof. W. Y. Chun, of the Sun Yat-sen University, Canton, through H. Green, Superintendent, Botanical and Forestry Department, Hong Kong. Received February 13, 1931.  
 A woody vine, native to the East Indies, with opposite ovate-cordate membranous leaves and umbellike cymes of salver-shaped fragrant aromatic greenish flowers.
91594. DIOSPYROS sp. Diospyraceae. **Persimmon.**  
 From Peiping, China. Trees and scions collected by P. H. Dorsett and W. J. Morse, agricultural explorers, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received February 13, 1931.  
 No. 7700. Plants collected on the mountain side. Said to be the white-barked persimmon.

## 91595. GOSSYPIUM sp. Malvaceae.

**Cotton.**

From Belize, British Honduras. Seeds collected by Prof. Harley H. Bartlett, Department of Botany, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. Received February 14, 1931.

A variety grown locally.

91596. BETA VULGARIS L. Chenopodiaceae. **Sugar beet.**

From Germany. Seeds purchased through the National Seed Co., New York, N. Y. Received February 14, 1931.

"Normal" "Rabbethge and Giesecke Kleinwanzleben Original."

## 91597. (Undetermined.)

From Southern Rhodesia, Africa. Seeds presented by Dr. W. L. Thompson, Mount Silinda. Received February 14, 1931.

*Potato-nut.* A large timber tree which becomes 3 to 4 feet in diameter and has cherrylike wood. The seeds are about the size and shape of acorns, and the flavor of the kernel reminds one of a raw potato.

For previous introduction see 86001.

## 91598. ACACIA LONGIFOLIA SOPHORAE (Labill.) F. Muell. Mimosaceae.

From Melbourne, Victoria, Australia. Seeds from the Melbourne Botanic Garden, presented by Pomeroy L. Dunbar, Boynton, Fla. Received February 16, 1931.

A yellow-flowered rapid-growing evergreen shrub or small tree 15 to 20 feet high, excellent for preventing the encroachments of the sea along sandy coasts. It frequents the coastline of southeastern Australia from southern Queensland to South Australia, and also Tasmania.

For previous introduction see 80061.

91599 to 91607. FRAGARIA spp. Rosaceae. **Strawberry.**

From Loiret, France. Plants presented by Edmond Versin. Received February 16, 1931.

A collection of new varieties, introduced for the use of department specialists.

91599. *La Frana Novelle.*91600. *La Normandie.*91601. *Ministre Cheroy.*91602. *Odette Gauthier.*91603. *Otvenir.*91604. *Precieuse.*91605. *Radio.*91606. *Resurrection.*91607. *Surpasse Aurore.*

## 91608. PISTACIA sp. Anacardiaceae.

From Greece. Seeds presented by George T. Choremis, Chios Island, through David Fairchild, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received February 16, 1931.

Turpentine tree.